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that there are small landholders there. From the answer given by the Minister, it is seen that a single individual has more than 900 pattas in his name. Will the Government give instructions to see that the number of pattas held by each individual may be classified so that we can have a real picture of the landholding system in Malabar?"

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU :—" The hon. Member wanted certain information and I have furnished that information. If he wants to make any further suggestions, he can make them during debates."

*Electricity produced at the Mettur Power station*

* 2054 *Q*.—SRI A. IYANAR (on behalf of Sri M. Jaganathan) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(*a*) the volume of electrical energy produced at Mettur Electric Power station every year;

(*b*) the cost incurred for the same;

(*c*) the quantity supplied to the public every year; and

(*d*) the revenue collected thereby?

THE HON. SRI R. SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" (*a*) *to* (*d*) The attention of the hon. Member is invited to the paper [a] placed on the table of the House."

(Starred question Nos. 2055 and 2056 taken up together.)

*Provision of house-sites for Harijans*

* 2055 *Q*.—SRI P. G. MANICKAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Religious Endowments and Transport be pleased to state—

(*a*) the steps taken so far to provide house-sites for the Harijans; and

(*b*) the name of the department that deals with this question?

THE HON. SRI B. PARAMESWARAN :—" (*a*) House-sites are provided to Harijans either by assignment of Government land or by acquisition of private lands. The total number of house-sites provided to them since the commencement of operations up to the end of 1953–54 is 41,641.

" (*b*) The Harijan Welfare department through the agency of Revenue department in the districts."

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(*a*) Printed as Appendix III on page 931 infra.